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C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.
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NEWFOUNDLAND'S GRIEVANCE

Novel Theory as to the Cause of the Postponement of the Washington Negotiations.

The Reason of Sir Charles Tupper's Sudden Return to England Explained.

LONDON, April 17.—In the House of Lords, to-day, after an explanation by Lord Knutsford, Secretary of State for the Colonial department, it was agreed to postpone further consideration of the Newfoundland bill until Friday next, so as to enable the counsel for the colonial delegates to appear at the bar of the House in defence of the position assumed by Newfoundland toward that measure.

LONDON, April 17.—Messrs. Emerson and Morine, of the Newfoundland delegation now in London, have given utterance to a novel theory as to the cause of the recent postponement of the negotiations at Washington looking toward reciprocity between the United States and Canada. They assert that while Mr. Blaine may have been technically correct in ascribing the postponement to President Harrison's desire to be present during the negotiations, there was another consideration which had weight in the matter and which explains why Sir Charles Tupper and his distinguished colleagues took the matter so coolly and with such apparent satisfaction, which seemed, even to the Americans themselves, a discourteously sudden deferment of the proposed conference. This hitherto unmentioned element in the situation was, according to Messrs. Emerson and Morine due to the fact that the Canadian government desired a postponement more earnestly than the government of the United States. As a matter of fact, according to this version of the affair, Mr. Blaine had received a hint of this desire on the part of the Canadian authorities, else he would not have ventured to so suddenly announce the President's wish for a postponement after the conferees had actually arrived in Washington. The explanation of the whole matter is that, just as the negotiations at Washington were about to begin, the Canadian government became convinced that some prompt action was necessary in order to place the relations between Canada and Newfoundland on a more satisfactory footing. Newfoundland was sending her delegates to London to press the demands of that colony in regard to the French fishery question upon the Imperial Government, and, at the same time, Canadian fishing vessels were being refused the privilege of procuring bait in Newfoundland, though that privilege was being freely accorded to American, and even the French, fishermen. Canada determined to checkmate Newfoundland, and, in order to do so, it was necessary to have the Canadian commissioner, Sir Chas. Tupper, at his post in London instead of at Washington. The settlement of the difficulty with Newfoundland was deemed more important for the time being than the beginning of the negotiations for American reciprocity, hence the hint to Mr. Blaine and the sudden announcement of President Harrison's absorbing interest in the reciprocity conference. Sir Charles hurried with all speed to New York and took the first steamer to England, prepared to anticipate the Newfoundland delegates in their presentation of grievances before the House of Commons. The commissioner was instructed to urge upon Lord Salisbury the policy of insisting that before Newfoundland proceeds any further in her demand for Imperial interference in her behalf, she shall withdraw her prohibition of baiting facilities to Canadian fishermen, and shall grant to the Canadian subjects of her Majesty the same privileges which she confers upon Americans who fish upon the banks. Messrs. Emerson and Morine declare, however, that the Newfoundlanders have too strong a cause to be thwarted by the injection of any such side issue as the one proposed to be introduced by Sir John Macdonald's government. They believe that the Imperial Government is at last fully awakened to the danger of a continued neglect of Newfoundland's just claims, and will not allow a minor difference between the two colonies to influence its action upon the petition presented by the representatives of the aggrieved people of Newfoundland. Be this as it may, however, the delegates declare that even should the Imperial authorities see fit to favor such declarations as Sir Charles Tupper is expected to suggest, the delegates will absolutely refuse to pledge themselves to any modification of the course adopted by the St. John's Government toward the Canadian fishermen, and will insist upon a direct response to the petition presented by them without any outside question being allowed to enter into the consideration. They are willing at the same time to express an unofficial opinion that if the home government gives heed to Newfoundland's representations and shows an intention to adjust the grievance complained of, Newfound will be disposed to look favorably upon any proposal from London looking toward a revision of the bait regulations on a basis more agreeable to Canada. While they have no doubt that this course will be pursued, they are not authorized to make any pledge on the subject, and in any event the discussion of the questions existing between England and Newfoundland must proceed on its own merits, uninfluenced by the selfish effort of Canada to impede it with a local issue.

CANADIAN NEWS.

President Van Horne and Party Reach Fort William and Start for Winnipeg.

The C.P.R. Scheme to Populate the Northwest With Desirable Settlers.

The Souris Extension.

QUEBEC, April 17.—Among Mercier's political friends, the opinion seems to be universal that Mr. Greenway has strengthened his government very materially, by his recent arrangement with the C.P.R. to build a line to the Souris coal fields. Aside from the practical advantages that will result to the province from the construction of the line, the arrangement would seem to indicate a better feeling between the government and the company than was supposed to have existed for some years past.

Prorogation of Manitoba's Legislature.

WINNIPEG, April 17.—The Manitoba legislature closed its labors this afternoon. Prorogation to-morrow morning.

Horribly Mangled.

STRATFORD, April 17.—Joseph Weldon, a sawyer in Seibert's sawmill, at Logan, fell against a circular saw yesterday. His leg was cut off and the upper part of his body mangled horribly, the heart being completely cut in two.

Van Horne and Party.

WINNIPEG, April 17.—A dispatch from Fort William says President Van Horne and party arrived here last evening by special train, remaining here all night and leaving at 8 o'clock this morning. During the evening the new hotel and the company's works were inspected. The party consists of the following: W. C. Van Horne, R. B. Angus, Montreal; Hon. D. MacInnis, Hamilton; Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick, Kingston. W. D. Matthews, Toronto; John S. Davidson, Toronto; E. B. Osler, Toronto; John Cassels, Montreal; P. A. Petersen, chief engineer, and W. A. Brant, secretary to President Van Horne.

Sentenced to be Hanged.

BELLEVILLE, April 17.—Jas. K. Kane, was, yesterday, tried for the murder of his wife, Elizabeth, whom he stabbed to the heart, on March 23rd. The jury, after an absence of an hour, returned a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was sentenced to be hanged on May 2nd. Kane was the woman's second husband, and they had lived unhappily together.

Acquitted of a Charge of Murder.

GODERICH, April 17.—Donald C. McKinnon, a fisherman, has been acquitted of the charge of murdering his wife, the evidence almost conclusively showing it to be a case of suicide. McKinnon, himself, tried to commit suicide at the time of the alleged crime, and on this charge he was committed to jail for four months.

An Excellent Scheme.

MONTREAL, April 17.—It is learned that the Canadian Pacific railway is about to put fourth extraordinary efforts to fill up the great Northwest with the best possible class of settlers. With this end in view, instructions have been given to have a car built in Great Britain which will be filled with specimens of Canadian Northwest products, given in charge of men who have the resources of the western prairies at their fingers' ends, and sent all over England and Scotland, thus laying before the agricultural population of Great Britain the most practical evidence of what can be done in Western Canada.

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BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Italy Taking Steps to Strengthen Her Army—Bismarck's Chances of Election.

Lord Randolph Churchill Will Write Up His African Travels for the London Graphic.

An Affecting Scene.

PARIS, April 17.—The Figaro, in an evidently inspired account of the scenes at the opening of Prince Napoleon's will, states that, during the reading of that document, when a clause was reached in which Prince Louis was ordered to read the correspondence between the Prince and the Princess Clothilde, in order to be able to judge the merits of the separation of his parents, Prince Louis sprang to his feet with an indignant and tearful protest crying: "Never, never, my mother, you who always showed such adorable abnegation, I will never consent to sit in judgment upon you. It is my duty to return to your hands all correspondence without reading a single word." The Princess fell weeping in her son's arms, and all present embraced one another in a spirit of family reunion.

Demand for Shorter Hours.

LONDON, April 17.—The workmen of the different trades in the Manchester district have demanded that the week's work shall close at noon on Saturday, making the number of hours worked per week 53 instead of 54. The employers have refused the concession, and the hands have determined to strike on the 25th inst. Unless the masters reconsider the refusal, 20,000 workers will be affected if the strike occurs. The 53-hour week was granted to all the workmen in the shipping ports in 1890, and the interior cities are clamoring for equal treatment in this respect.

Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, April 17.—In the House of Commons, to-day, Mr. Morley's amendment requiring the consent of county councils to advances for Irish land purchases, was rejected. Mr. Parnell's amendment providing that such consent should be required as soon as county councils should be established in Ireland, was also rejected.

Report Denied.

ROME, April 17.—The report that Mr. Porter, U. S., minister to Italy is about to depart from this city on a three month's leave of absence, is denied.

One Hundred Guineas a Letter.

LONDON, April 17.—The Telegraph offered Lord Randolph Churchill £100 per column to furnish that paper with letters describing his travels and observations in Africa. Before this offer was received Lord Randolph had accepted the proposal of the Graphic of 2,000 guineas for twenty letters, each to contain 4,000 words.

Sir Chas. Dilke Accepts.

LONDON, April 17.—Sir Charles Dilke has announced that he will, next week, forward his acceptance of the nomination of the Liberal association of Forest of Dean as a candidate for Parliament. He boasts that nineteen of the local non-conformist ministers support his candidacy, while only three oppose it.

Italy's Military Resources.

ROME, April 17.—The Italian chamber of deputies has approved a bill extending the age of military liability three years. Henceforth every citizen is liable to military service up to his forty-second year. This is only one out of a number of steps which are being taken to strengthen the military resources of that country. The measures are not very popular and, together with the increasing burdens of taxation, are adding to the general feeling of discontent among the poorer classes.

The Portuguese Crisis Ended.

LISBON, April 17.—The Portuguese cabinet crisis is ended. The members of the ministry, with the exception of Senor Ferreira, minister of public works, have consented to retain their respective portfolios. Senor Ferreira, the retiring minister of public works, who was also minister of commerce and industry, will be temporarily succeeded by General Desons, president of the council and minister of war.

Natalie on the War Path.

VIENNA, April 17.—Queen Natalie of Servia has had her rebellious spirit stirred by a report that the efforts to proscribe her from Servia were about to be renewed. She has issued a declaration, calculated to strike terror to the souls of her enemies, that on the day when the decree excluding her from Servia is promulgated, her memoirs will be published in Paris. The partisans of ex-King Milan are not likely to underrate the significance of this declaration. The revelations which Natalie has it in her power to make would complete the ruin of that least admirable of kings in exile.

Bismarck's Chances of Election.

BERLIN, April 17.—Final election returns show a remote chance that Bismarck may be defeated on the re-ballot. The prince, however, gives no sign of retiring from the field. The element of possible danger, will, it is expected, stimulate the national liberals to poll a heavier vote and secure Bismarck's election. The Kaiser is said to be anxious.

The Czarina Ill.

VIENNA, April 16.—The Extrablatt says the Empress of Russia is seriously ill, and the Queen of Greece, has been summoned to St. Petersburg.

Is It Jack the Ripper?

ANTWERP, April 16.—There is much excitement in this city on account of several mysterious murders having been committed of late. The victims are attacked in the street at night, and the crimes are so skilfully perpetrated that, as yet, the authorities have been unable to gain any clue which might lead to the detection of the guilty party or parties. There is some reason to believe that all the murders are the work of one hand, probably that of a maniac. Two of these murders occurred last night.

HER LAST VOYAGE ENDED.

Death of a Lady at New Westminster Who Had Quite a Record as a Sailor.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., April 17.—Mrs. Margaret Strang, widow of the late Capt. Strang, died in this city last night, aged 79 years. Her husband was captain of old time clipper passenger vessels for 41 years, and always in the same employ. Mrs. Strang accompanied her husband on his voyages for many years, making in all 70 trips across the Atlantic, a record which has never been equalled by a woman on a sailing vessel. She also made many trips to India and Australia, and could navigate and handle a ship almost as well as her husband. She has been living here for the last 18 years with the family of the late Jeremiah Rogers, brother of Captain Rogers, of the steamer Dunsmuir. She was a native of St. Andrew, N.B.

THE CHILIAN REVOLUTION.

Balmaceda's Troops Reported to Have Been Defeated With Heavy Loss—Santiago and Valparaiso Threatened.

PARIS, April 15.—Dispatches from Chili state that a desperate battle, resulting in a victory for the insurgents, has been fought at Fort Capiapa, capital of the province of Atacama. Only meagre details are given. The insurgents, after a long and determined struggle, defeated with heavy loss a force of 3,000 of President Balmaceda's troops. The dispatches, which are supposed to have orignated from an insurgent source, add that the insurgent army is increasing steadily in strength, and that it is intended shortly to march upon Santiago de Chili and Valparaiso.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Newfoundland Sealing Schooner Crushed in the Ice—The Crew in a Perilous Position.

Increased Postage on Newspapers—New Rule for Receivers of Wrecks.

(From our own correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 17.—The scales of charges for steamboats using Government wharves, piers, and breakwaters have been changed from a dollar a day to double those imposed upon sailing vessels, calculated upon a tonnage basis according to the following scale: Under 50 tons, 20 cents; over 50 and under 100 tons, 30 cents; 100 to 200 tons, 40 cents; 200 to 300 tons, 60c.; 300 to 500 tons, $1; 500 to 800 tons, $1.50; 800 to 1,000 tons, $2; 1,200 to 1,600 tons, $2.50; steamboats over 1,600 tons, $3.

The Marine department has been notified that a Newfoundland sealing schooner has been crushed in the ice, off Bird rocks. The men escaped, and are now on the rocks, and have no means of getting off unless a special vessel is sent.

Receivers of wrecks have been notified, that they cannot demand fees when no services are rendered. No receiver can take charge of a wreck contrary to the expressed wish of the master of the vessel.

The rate of postage to newspapers forwarding mail direct to subscribers, from the office of publication, has been increased to eight cents per pound.

A BRUTAL APPRENTICE

Burns a Comrade to Death With a Red Hot Iron, at Little Narrows, Cape Breton.

LITTLE NARROWS, C.B., April 17.—A blacksmith's apprentice named Logan burned another boy named Matheson to death to-day. He drew a red hot iron from the fire, and seizing the boy, held the rod against his abdomen until a hole had been burned entirely through. The boy's injuries are fatal. Logan was arrested.

She Drew a Pistol.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, April 17.—A family row at Leclaire, seventeen miles north of here, will result fatally to one person, if not to two. Newton Nesbitt and his wife were eating breakfast, this morning, when the husband made a reflecting remark. Mrs. Nesbitt drew a pistol and sent a ball into the back of her husband's head. She then shot herself twice, the first ball taking effect in the neck, and the second making a scalp wound. Nesbitt was a steamboat fireman, and lived unhappily with his family.

October 12 Satisfactory.

OTTAWA, April 16.—The government replied, to-day, to Secretary Blaine that Oct. 12 was a satisfactory date for beginning the discussion of reciprocity trade relations at Washington.

Commander of Canada's Militia Coming.

OTTAWA, April 16.—Major Gen. Herbert, commander of the Canadian militia, will visit British Columbia on a tour of inspection the coming autumn.

Stammering Cured.

* * * I have recently investigated Mr. E. R. Dumont's method of curing stammering, particularly noting its result in the case of a youth of this city who has been most painfully afflicted. In this instance the method has been surprisingly successful; the young man being now wholly free from his old trouble. If carefully followed I am confident the method will conquer any case of stammering or stuttering. I find Mr. Dumont a thorough master of his specialty. He certainly is engaged in a good work, and I commend him to all who need his services.

S. D. POPE,
Supt. of Education.

Victoria, B.C., April 11th, 1891.

Hundreds of testimonials from eminent persons, and from former pupils can be seen at Mr. Dumont's rooms at the Clarence hotel. Application should be made at once. Call or send for circular. ap14-2d&1w

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

First Session of the Sixth Parliament.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY.

The Speaker took the chair at two o'clock. After prayers by Rev. Mr. Dobbs,

A petition was presented on the subject of the Surrey bill.

THE LIQUOR BILL.

The House went into committee on the bill respecting the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors; Mr. Anderson in the chair.

There was a considerable amount of discussion on the exception to the clause prohibiting the sale or supply of liquor to "drunkards," which allowed it to be given under the sanction or direction of a medical man or a minister of religion. It was held that such administration of liquor might have a most serious effect in awakening the old appetite.

After debate the section as originally framed was adopted.

On the clause prohibiting the sale of liquor at wholesale or retail from or after 7 o'clock on Saturday night till 6 o'clock on Monday morning there was a great deal of controversy.

HON. MR. BEAVEN held that it should not apply to cities, and made a motion to that effect. He thought a general law should not apply, the municipalities having the right to deal with the subject.

MR. MARTIN moved to amend the section in order to provide that no liquor should be sold between twelve o'clock on Saturday night and twelve o'clock on Sunday night. He did not wish to interfere with the rights of any municipality.

MR. BOOTH held that to be effective the Act should apply to the whole province.

MR. COTTON said the City of Vancouver had, under its special charter, power to deal with this subject. Would this bill, if passed, do away with those powers?

HON. MR. DAVIE said *pro tanto* it did.

MR. BOOTH urged that twelve o'clock was too late to prevent the drunkenness, to provide against which this Bill had been prepared.

MR. FORSTER protested against this clause, on behalf of his constituents. People could not be changed from saloon-goers to church attendants, by act of Parliament. Where must they go when the saloons are closed? People must first be taught better habits, until which they would contrive to evade the law, and get liquor anyhow, if not as common customers as travellers. The clause under consideration should be struck out.

MR. NASON approved of the Bill as a step in the right direction.

HON. MR. ROBSON moved that the committee rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again this evening. Carried.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the act to amend the

COLUMBIA AND KOOTENAY RAILWAY

Subsidy Act, 1890. It appeared that if the company were restricted in their land grant to four-mile square blocks it could not get the necessary complement of land. It had to receive its blocks uninterrupted by private rights, and in the Kootenay district it was found impossible to discover the required amount of uninterrupted lands. Under the act the company had control of their baser metals, to which exception had been taken by the miners, and this, in return for the proposed concession, the company had relinquished. If it had not been for the enterprise of this company the town of Nelson would not exist.

MR. SEMLIN gave the history of the Kootenay Railway, saying that the former company had agreed to build the road for a subsidy of 750,000 acres of land, but had abandoned the enterprise. This company had agreed to do the work for 200,000 acres of land in blocks of four square miles; but he held that owing to the greater choice they would have of the land and the extra water frontage they would get, they would now have a 100 per cent. better arrangement. The company had gone on with their work satisfactorily, and there was no necessity, he held, to make them any further concession. This proposed arrangement was giving up everything and getting nothing in return, for he did not see that the proposed arrangement to give up the baser metals was any concession at all.

COL. BAKER said that the best lands in the Kootenay country were not in West, but in East Kootenay, and naturally the company would seek to make their selection there. From a settler's point of view he should be inclined to say, Keep out these land warrant people. But, looking at the benefit which this road would do to the entire province, he should favor the measure It was desirable to have settlers in the country; but the junior member for Yale seemed to be of a different view. Whether lands were taken up by railway or private enterprise, it was for the benefit of the whole community. No doubt he and many of the East Kootenay people would be personally disadvantaged by the carrying out of this bill. Nevertheless he hoped this road would be carried and eventually become a portion of the British Columbia Central.

MR. KELLIE said he felt it his duty to rise and emphatically protest against the passage of this bill. The Columbia and Kootenay Railway received last year 200,000 acres of land as a bonus in 20 blocks of 10,000 acres each. This they were entitled to, and should have also a bonus in cash of $113,000 from the Dominion Government for building 28 miles of a railway. If this bill passed, instead of giving the company the right of selecting 20 blocks of 10,000 acres each it would give them the option of selecting 80 blocks of 2,500 acres each, which practically meant that it would give this company the power of skinning the district and give them every point of advantage. He did not blame the C. & K Railway company for trying to get the most favorable terms, but he wanted to impress on the House the necessity of guarding other interests and not to forget there were other interests that wanted guarding besides that of the C. & K. Railway Co. He appealed in the interests of his constituents, and trusted the Government would withdraw the bill, as he was satisfied it would give great dissatisfaction, and he feared it might eventually cause a rebellion.

HON. MR. ROBSON referred to the fact of the people of Kootenay appearing to think that they owned the whole public domain, as evidenced by the manner in which they passed their resolutions with respect to public concerns. Referring to the junior member for Yale's history of this railway, he observed that the member had left out a very important chapter. He had given the chapter relating to the grant of 750,000 acres of land; but even with that enormous land grant the company had not been able to float its stock. In 1888 the House had passed another act, granting to the Ainsworth Company, which was the same as this, 200,000 acres—precisely the same amount as this—to be taken under land warrants in four mile square blocks, with the privilege of selecting it where they pleased. Nevertheless, that company, although it had made a cash deposit of $250,000, had failed to be floated. They had tried the financiers, both of the United States and England, but the enterprise was not supposed to be good enough. Years passed, and the conviction grew of the importance of the road until it took the shape of another franchise—the present one They had succeeded in the money market, and considerable work had been done. If the land grants were so excessive, as the member for Yale had made out, it was extraordinary, indeed, that they should have not been as successful as they had hoped. The present amendment to the act of incorporation was the result of concessions on both sides. The concessions made by the company were more than those which had been made by the Government. His friend from East Kootenay would, he had no doubt, admit that the land in his section of country was of little or no economic value, apart from the minerals which it contained.

MR. KELLIE—The land, from an agricultural point of view, has no economic value; but I don't like to see it all go into the same hands.

HON. MR. ROBSON said that the lands referred to were only a flea bite—a bagatelle—compared with the area of the district. The reduction in the size of the blocks did not amount to much. The land would be quite as well in the hands of the company as of the Government. The former would become an effective colonization machine, and it was clearly in the provincial interest that they should have the lands which, in that case, were much more likely to be settled. It was to the general interests that the country be taken up. Of what use were patches of land in the hands of individuals if other lands were not settled? The Premier referred to the peculiar views held by some people with regard to the building of railways. At first everyone was anxious to have the C. P. R., which was later on looked at by some as a grinding monopoly and a curse. So with the Kootenay railroad. There were those who were beginning to say that it was entitled to no consideration, and if they could put it off without doing anything for it they thought they were doing a grand thing. He was satisfied that the House was prepared to deal equitably with the company, and the proposals of the government could not fail to commend themselves to the good judgment of the House.

MR. COTTON was glad to hear that in making the new arrangement the Government had secured the mineral rights. He recognized that it was a considerable advantage to allow the company to change the size of their blocks, but, knowing how difficult it was to secure the necessary quantities of eligible lands, he should support the bill.

HON. MR. BEAVEN said the company, having made their arrangement, must take the good land with the bad. He did not like the idea of these large subdivisions, and held that lands should be taken up in alternate sections The principle was not a good one to amend a concession in the manner proposed. He could not see where the practice of giving everything that was asked for was going to end.

MR. GRANT said that in this instance the question resolved itself into this: Was it the opinion of this House that the Columbia and Kootenay R. R. Act should be made more liberal than that of last session? It made all the difference in the world whether lands should be two miles square or four miles square. If the company connected with the enterprise were prepared to carry out this scheme and felt that they were not fairly dealt with, was it true policy to make further concessions? We must have a system of quick and cheap communications, and since we could not give liberal cash subsidies we must give lands. There were millions and millions of acres in the province which could not be placed on the market and sold for 25 cents an acre, and, no doubt, this company found this to be the case in the blocks they had received. He should be prepared to vote for the bill.

HON. MR. VERNON thought it was the company which had made the concession, the Government having the best of the bargain. No one had ever said that the company had come to the Government to alter the arrangement. The Government had felt that the company should not have the power to deal with the base metals. It was well known that in Illecillewaet, Hot Springs and elsewhere there were large quantities of galena, the obtainment of which by the Government was a far greater concession than to give the company smaller blocks.

DR. MILNE considered this to be a give away, and hoped the Government would withdraw the bill.

MR. KELLIE said that last year it was not the intention that the company should have the base ores, and there was nothing said about it in the act.

The bill was read a second time on a vote of 17 to 9. It went through committee, and was read a third time and passed.

The Cattle bill was read a third time and passed.

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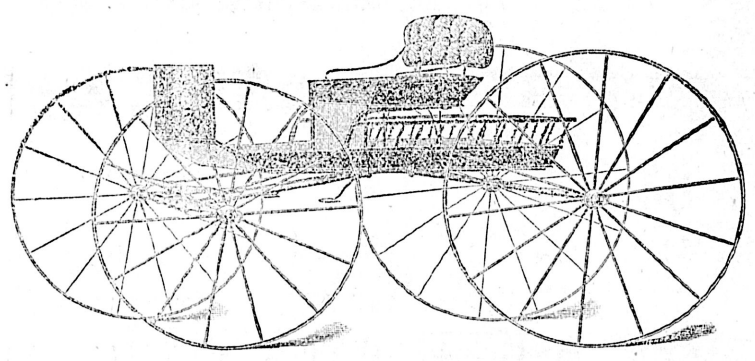
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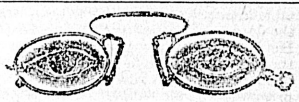
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
The partnership hitherto existing between William Lyne and John Lyne and George Evans, under the firm style of Lyne Bros., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, the said George Evans having retired from the above firm. Wm. Lyne and John Lyne will and do from this date assume all responsibilities and pay all debts due by the above firm, and receive all moneys due them.
In witness whereof we have hereto set our hand and seal this 6th day of December, 1890.
(Signed.) Soda Creek, Witness: T. P. REED. Witness: R. L. SHAW.
(Signed) GEORGE EVANS. WILLIAM LYNE. JOHN LYNE.
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NOTICE.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—We, the undersigned members of the proposed C. C. T. Commonwealth of Malcolm Island, B. C., will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Mr. F. Jos. Spencer, on behalf of the above Society. Neither will we agree to the appointment, by him, of trustees without our written consent. Signed, J. E. WILLIAMS, H. HEARNS, C. CHAS. WILLIAMS. ap16 3t

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Victoria, April 13, 1891. ap15-2w

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CREDITORS are requested to send their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts, forthwith to the undersigned. Any person in possession of deeds or papers belonging to the estate of the deceased are desired to hand the same to me.
J. ROLAND HETT, Solicitor for M. L. M. Partelow the sister, and administratrix of the deceased. ap8

NOTICE.
NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct, maintain and operate a Steam Railway and Passenger Ferry between the Port of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and the Port of Port Angeles, in the State of Washington, in the United States of America, and for all powers, rights and privileges incident and necessary to such works.
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A THOUGHTFUL GIFT.

Address and Presentation to the Lord Bishop of Columbia.

After a missionary meeting, held on Thursday last, for the Episcopal districts of Cedar Hill and Lake, the Lord Bishop of Columbia received the following address, accompanied by a thoughtful gift, from the rector and churchwardens of the districts mentioned:

To the Right Reverend, the Lord Bishop of Columbia:

We the rector and churchwardens of St. Luke's, Cedar Hill, and St. Michael's, Lake, beg to tender our respect and esteem to your lordship, and heartily welcome you to our respective churches on the thirty-second year of your lordship's episcopate in this diocese. The success and blessings which have attended your Apostolic mission, not only call forth our tribute of gratitude to-day, but the thankfulness of all church people, while the long chain of years signally recording your stewardship has placed your lordship *third* on the apostolic list of the Anglican Church throughout the world.

Permit us to express our feelings of thankfulness for the Church extension in British Columbia, and the provisions made for a permanence of church privileges to succeeding generations. Truly do we wish your lordship many years of health and prosperity, with a continuance of the blessings hitherto enjoyed.

Signed by the rector and churchwardens of both districts.

In reply the Bishop wrote as follows:

"I am much gratified, dear friends and brethren, by your kind address and gift on the completion of my thirty-second year in the Episcopate of the Church of Christ. It is a long period of God's blessing for which I have to be thankful for health and strength, but which also points to a close of work not far off. Disclaiming credit you are good enough to award me, yet I must unite with you in thankfulness for the progress it has pleased God to grant to the Church of England, in this western province of the Dominion of Canada, more particularly for the prospect of permanence afforded by the extension of a lawful episcopate, and creation of the two additional sees of Caledonia and New Westminster. The good and successful work of my two right reverend brothers has been and is to me, a constant source of comfort and encouragement. Trusting you may all—rector, churchwardens and people of Cedar Hill and Lake,—be blessed of God in both temporal and spiritual prosperity.

Your sincere friend
and Bishop
G. COLUMBIA.

The gift presented, a piece of silver, was beautifully executed by the firm of Kingham & Minor of this city, and bore a suitable inscription calculated to keep in mind the donors and the date of the presentation. His Lordship seemed fresh and active after the hard day's work between both churches, and returned home highly pleased with the progress at Cedar Hill and Lake in church matters. The attendance in both districts, although they are thinly populated, is above the average, and the people are generous in giving according to their means. There are many wants in Lake which it will take time to fill, but the present prospects are most satisfactory.

TWO DAYS' CELEBRATION.

Saturday and Monday, 23rd and 25th of May, Decided Upon—A Fine Programme Outlined.

Mr. C. E. Redfern presided at a well-attended meeting of the Celebration committee, held at the City Hall last evening, when, before proceeding to general business, Mr. W. P. Lindley was elected permanent secretary.

A communication from the Island Wanderers' Cycling Club was read, containing the proposition for a grand meet and cycling tournament to be held during the demonstration. The letter was received with approval, and tabled for further consideration at the next meeting.

It was, on motion, decided to have the celebration extend over two days, the 23rd and 25th of May, Saturday and Monday, being named.

Mr. D. W. Morrow announced that the first lacrosse match in the provincial association series would be played here on the first day, and Mr. T. H. Baker informed the meeting that a baseball match with Port Townsend was also arranged. A cricket match, Victoria *v.* New Westminster, is a fixture for the 23rd, and a firemen's race will probably be decided upon. These events, with the regatta, sailing races, and an exhibition by the Victoria Athletic Club, will furnish a first class two days' list of events. The cycling tournament and the regatta will be made the great features of the two days, one on each, and they are, no doubt, the events that will draw best.

Upon motion of Mr. B. Boggs, it was decided to extend a preliminary invitation, at once, to the various bicycle clubs and amateur athletic associations in the Sound country and on the Mainland to participate; and to forward to them the detailed programme as soon as it shall be prepared.

In the absence of the Mayor, Hon. Mr. Turner and a few other gentlemen, who are invaluable in preparing for a worthy celebration, it was thought better to adjourn until Tuesday evening, when committees will be appointed, and the work will be distributed to them.

FLAGS FOR BEACON HILL.

TO THE EDITOR:—It is understood that early last January the chairman of the Park Commissioners, Mr. Jos. Heywood, had arranged with some ladies to raise sufficient funds for the purchase of a full code of flags to be presented to the Park on the ensuing 24th May. But the present Park committee, in their wisdom, deemed such action on the part of the Commissoner as an interference with the prerogative of the committee, and therefore ignored the authority of the commissioners to meddle with park affairs. As a consequence, the gigantic flag-staff will, in all likelihood, appear to our visitors in all the nakedness of nature, except the energetic members of the committee stir themselves in the matter. The flags will have to be imported, so that there is but little time for caviling about trifles, especially in this instance, where indifference may be calculated to leave a false impression on the minds of the strangers expected to visit the city during the coming gala season. Victoria should then put on her best dress. There is yet time for the commissioners to take action in the matter and remedy the neglect. "Too many cooks spoil the broth," and very often make a hash of affairs instead.

RATEPAYER.

THE BONUS QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR:—I am glad to see "Apropos" sticks to his guns and maintains the right of arguing any question on its merits instead of bearing down opposition by the weight of his name as Mr. Claxton seems to consider the right course. It seems to me there is a good deal of waste going on in this discussion. We have many connections with the States, and if the people of the States wish to give us more let them do it. Many were induced to place money in Port Angeles and in Port Crescent on the assurance of persons, supposed to be in a position to pledge the different companies, that railway communication with these ports and the trunk lines of the States would be made at once. One of the companies supposed to be so pledged was the Northern Pacific. Well, circumstances over which we have no control prevent them. Any one can see that a line which the Manitoba Government gave them to build, in order to oppose the Canadian Pacific, has had to be completed by the latter line. It seems to many that they want Victoria to complete their line to Port Crescent from the South. Supposing this line completed and a ferry running, what guarantee have we that the ferry would be continued if it did not pay? We could have no power over an American line. Now, a word about the road by Seymour Narrows. There are two charters for that. The Canada Western has one and the C. P. R. have, in their charter, the right to construct branches any where in the Dominion of Canada. Let the Board of Trade and the City Council interview the C. P. R. men who are to be here in a few days, and also interview the holders of the charter of the Canada Western and ascertain from them if they would construct that line for all that remains of this Island when the Island Railway grant is deducted, and I think they would not have long to wait for an answer. As to the ferry: make the ferry, load the Pullmans in Victoria, run them down to Beecher Bay, fasten them on the ferry, cross the Straits, attach the cars to a train at Port Crescent and you will be behind a reasonably fast steamer leaving Victoria for Port Angeles an hour and a half after you. Is that worth a million dollars?

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Statement of Earnings and Expenses.

	Feb., 1891.	January 1st to Feb. 28, 1891.
Gross earnings	$1,338,494.29	$2,703,715.18
Working expenses	2,001,673.64	2,037,169.31
Net profits	$ 336,820.65	$ 666,545.87

In February, 1890, the net profits were $168,873.47, and from January 1 to February 28th, 1890, there was a net profit of $374,361.47.

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102-3—Lots, facing the sea (6), each, 2 back and front.. 2,650
102-1—LOT, Business property, corner, Douglas street, 94x112 50,000
99-2—Lots, South Turner St. (2) each 950
95-1—Lot, ¼ acre, Spring Ridge. 900
92-5—Lot, Esquimalt Road, on tram-line, ¾ acre 2,625
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104-4—30 acres, three miles from town, Main Road, splendid land for Gardens; Lots to suit, per acre... $ 250
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A WIDE DIFFERENCE.

The Times says: "That the boycott is immoral and that strikes are inexpedient, it might be said a brutal method of enforcing an idea, does not admit of argument;" and adds, "but we presume the COLONIST will agree with us that, but for these, labor would be practically enslaved."

We do not admit that strikes are either "brutal" or "immoral," although we hold that the boycott is both, and unmanly as well. The strike may be inexpedient; it may be, and often is, a great mistake, but we believe that there are times when it is the only way in which labor can assert its rights with any prospect of success. In such cases the strike, in our opinion, is justifiable. But it should, when the interests of the workingman alone are considered, be only resorted to when all means of coming to an equitable agreement have been tried and have failed.

As its continuance involves loss and suffering on the workingman and those depending upon him, and deranges business, those who advise it will undertake a very serious responsibility, which should not be rashly or thoughtlessly incurred. But the right of a man not to work is not to be called in question, and what one man can do legitimately a hundred, or a thousand, or any number of men have a right to do. When a man determines not to work except on certain terms, he does not infringe on the rights of any other man. His labor is the commodity which he has to dispose of, and he should be free to do the best he can with it.

We are glad to see that the leaders of the labor movement are becoming more and more reluctant to advise men to strike in order to obtain higher wages, shorter hours, or better treatment. They believe that they have found a better way of settling labor disputes, and, in our opinion, the time is not far distant when strikes will be regarded as the rough and clumsy and inefficient expedients of a time when the relations between capital and labor were not well understood by either the employers or the employed.

The boycott we regard as the ruffianly expedient of men who are bound to attain their end without caring what means they use or without giving the slightest consideration to the rights of others. In no case is it justifiable. No man or body of men should be allowed to conspire to ruin the business of a fellow citizen. Neither have they a right to coerce or intimidate men into accepting their terms. The employer has no right and should not be allowed to use any form of coercion or intimidation to compel men to work on his terms. Neither should workingmen be allowed, by threats or vilification or violence, to attempt to prevent their fellow-workmen from accepting employment. The freedom that they exercise, they should be ready to accord to all other men, whether they are employers or workingmen.

We are far from agreeing that labor has, by the use of "brutal" and "immoral" means, been saved from practical enslavement. On the contrary, we are convinced that very great harm has been done to the cause of labor by following the counsel of violent and unscrupulous men. The boycott and other illegal practices have done infinite harm to the cause of the workingman. They have created a prejudice against the labor movement which it will take a long time to remove. Men love justice and fair play, and they hate secret associations, which they have reason to believe are plotting to injure those whom they regard as their enemies. When the workingman becomes a conspirator he is lowered in the estimation of the men and women who form public opinion in a civilized community.

A great deal of nonsense is talked and written about the enslavement of the workingman. Neither the British nor the American workingman has been, in modern times, a slave, or anything like a slave. He has had his guilds and his combinations, of one kind and another, and he has been able to achieve independence for himself and a good position for his children. The men occupying leading positions in Great Britain and the United States who are the sons and grandsons of men who earned their living by manual labor, can be counted by the hundred thousand. And the tendency of modern society and modern institutions is to elevate the workingman and in other ways to better his condition. Education is placed within his reach, he has obtained political power and he, like the men of every other class, enjoys the advantages of the great inventions and discoveries of the age.

It is these, which are working for the benefit and the elevation of the workingman, and not the boycott or labor riots or conspiracies against unyielding employers. Take the boycott and other troubles at Wellington for instance. Have they resulted in benefit to the workingmen there and elsewhere? Were the miners, in whose interest the boycott of the Wellington coal was proclaimed, in danger of being "enslaved"? Were they not as free and in as good a position as any men, following the same occupation on this continent? Have the miners of Nanaimo been benefitted by Wellington intimidation or the San Francisco boycott? We believe that the contrary has been the case, and as like causes produce like effects the same methods will have been found to produce similar demoralization wherever they have been practiced. We do not think that the doctrine, which the Times teaches, that it is lawful to do evil that good may come, is a sound one in the labor cause or in any other.

A GOOD SPEECH.

President Harrison made, at least, one good speech when he was in Tennessee. He seems to know how to talk to the people of the South. He congratulates them on the great progress which their country is making, and he has the greatest consideration for the feelings of even ex-rebels when he speaks of the past. His object evidently is to lead the Southerners to conclude that the people of the North have buried the hatchet so deep that there is no chance of its ever being dug up again. We will be mistaken if the President's speeches do not raise him in the esteem of the American people. He has hitherto, for some reason or other, been kept very much in the background, and people have been led to believe that he is nothing more than a respectable nobody. But the following speech, delivered in Johnson City, is not the production of a man who has no brains to speak of, and very little heart. On the contrary, it is apt to give the impression that the man who uttered it has a good deal more than the average allowance of both. He said:

"I rejoice to stand here in East Tennessee among the people who so conspicuously and at such a sacrifice during the hour of the nation's peril stood by the flag and adhered to their convictions of public duty, (Cheers) and I am especially glad to be able to say that those who followed other views of duty and took sides against us in that struggle, without division in voice and heart to-day praise Almighty God that he preserved us one nation. (Cheers). There is no man, whatever his views upon questions that then divided us, but in view of the marvellous benefits which are disseminating themselves over these states, must also bless God to-day that slavery no longer exists, and that the Union of free states is indissoluble. (Cheers). What is it that has stirred the pulses of the great nation, that has kindled these fires, that has converted these retired and isolated farms into centres of trade and mechanical pursuits, bringing a market close to the doors of the farmer and prosperity into every home? It is that we have no line of division between states. It is that these impulses of freedom and enterprise, once limited in their operations, are now common to all states. We have a common heritage. The Confederate soldier has full, honorable and ungrudged participation in all benefits of the general government. (Cheers.) I do not doubt, to-day, that these would be among the first of our population to follow the old flag if it should be assailed from any quarter." (Cheers.)

This is language worthy of the President of the United States, and if his acts in the future correspond with it Mr. Harrison stands a good chance of being nominated for a second term, even if Mr. Secretary Blaine, as is now reported, is also a candidate for nomination.

RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION.

Intolerance still lingers in the dark places of the earth, and men are even yet persecuted for daring to hold religious opinions different from those of the majority in an American republic. The Rev. Francis Penzotti has just been released from a filthy prison in Callao, where he was incarcerated for nearly eight months, the only offence which he committed being to hold services contrary to the established church of the country.

Mr. Penzotti was the agent in Peru of the American Bible Society. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was some two years ago employed by Mr. Andrew Milne, the general South American agent. Being an active and intelligent man he carried on the work of bible selling and bible distributing with energy and zeal. He has so much to do that he gave employment to six colporteurs. When at Callao he succeeded in forming a little congregation which met for worship in a warehouse. He and his little flock of 155 were not approved by the inhabitants of that quarter of the city, and they annoyed the non-conformists in various ways, one of which was to plaster Mr. Panzotti's house and the doors of the meeting room with mud. It is said that some priests were among the persecutors of the Methodist agent. But they did not stop at petty annoyances. On the 26th of last July, Mr. Penzotti was arrested and cast into prison. There were in the "dark damp pen into which he was thrown thirty-six prisoners of the lowest type." It was a miserable den and properly called by the people Casa Mata or the death house.

After suffering all sorts of privations in this prison for several weeks, his case came up for trial before the Inferior Court. As it was shown that he conducted the services with closed doors he was acquitted. But he was not released. He was rearrested and held for a second trial in the Superior Court, which did not sit for some time, the unfortunate bible agent being kept in the abominable prison meanwhile, and his wife and seven children almost, if not altogether, in want. The Superior Court did not convict, and at the beginning of the present month his long term of imprisonment ended. The American Minister and other men of influence tried to procure the unfortunate man's release. If it were not for their intercession it is hard to say how much longer he would have been kept in jail or what would have become of him.

We did not think that worshipping in a warehouse, even if the doors were left open, would be considered a crime in any part of this continent. The republics of South America, we know, cannot properly be called free, but we were under the impression that it was only political enthusiasts that had anything to fear from the ruling faction. The news from South America led us to believe that the tendency was towards agnosticism and that religious bigotry and intolerance were in Peru, as well as in Brazil, the vices of a by-gone age.

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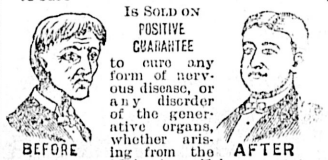

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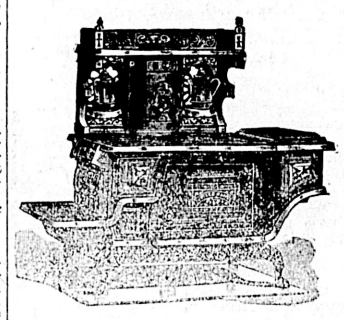

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A SPLENDID OPENING for a party with a moderate amount of means (and lots of go in him) is now offered for sale by J. H. Todd and Henry Saunders, assignees of the estate and good will of the business of Richard Keeler in the prosperous town of Esquimalt.

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Tenders for the stock, etc., will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 20th instant. For a view of stock list and other particulars see assignees.

All parties having claims against the estate are requested to file particulars of same with Assignees immediately, if they wish to participate in the assets.

J. H. TODD,
Hy. SAUNDERS,
Assignees.
Victoria, B. C., April 13, 1891. ap16-4t

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Parties wishing information, or wanting to buy or sell real estate and mining properties in the above vicinity, apply or write to

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2 Lots, corners, Fort St	10,500	2 Lots, Belcher St., 60x155, each	500	6-room Cottage, 2 Lots	3,600	5 acres Carey Road	1,000
Water front, corner, 60x158, choice harbor front	6,000	Corner, close to Russell Station	800	2 Houses, rent $17 per month	1,350	6 acres under cultivation	1,750
Pandora St. Lot	900	2 Lots, clear and well situated, Victoria West, each	400	Cottage, James Bay	1,900	Farms from $6 to $250 per acre.	
				Cottage, Victoria West	900		

The best chances are on Oak Bay Avenue. The best bargains on Oak Bay Avenue are in our hands. Call and see us.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Big Gun Competition.

Batteries 2, 4 and 3, B.C.G.A., will have big gun competition on August 20th, 21st and 22nd, in the order named.

A Car Load of

Silentium; "Improved Linoleum," 6 and 12 feet wide; also Oilcloth best quality 15 and 18 feet wide. Just received by Weiler Bros. *

Furniture Workers Union of Victoria.

A general meeting of the above union will take place Monday, 20th inst., at 8 p.m., to consider business of importance. All members are requested to attend. 2t

This Day.

Mrs. Bowness, of the Lansdowne House, Yates street, will be pleased to show the ladies of Victoria all the new and fashionable styles in trimmed and untrimmed millionery, also mantles, blouses, etc., etc. *

Matters Pythian.

The Endowment rank, K. of P., started in this city, last week, has already a membership of twenty-five, each man holding from $2,000 to $3,000 insurance. A regular lodge of the order is to be established in Donald, this week, with fifty charter members.

Police Court.

After a lone drunk had been disposed of yesterday morning in the police court, by a fine of $5, a Chinaman was charged with violating the street by-law. After considerable talk, the case was disposed of by the Chinaman paying $2 costs. The only other case was an infraction of the building by-law. The case is remanded till Monday.

Lacrosse Tournament.

The secretary of the Victoria Lacrosse Club received a telegram from Vancouver last night, requesting that a team represent Victoria in the lacrosse tournament to be held in Vancouver during the celebration of the arrival of the Empress of India. A full practice is requested on the Hill this afternoon, after which a meeting will be held to discuss the proposition.

A Life of Promise Ended.

The young man Frere Sanderson, who was drowned off the schooner Geneva a fortnight ago, came to this city from Toronto, where he attended the Medical College for three years. His object in "going sealing" was to procure the necessary money to enable him to complete his course. He was 26 years of age, a brilliant student and an estimable young man.

The Committee Named.

At a special meeting of the council of the Board of Trade yesterday, the following committee was appointed, with power to add to their number, to consider and report upon the railway question as affecting Victoria: President, Robt. Ward; vice-president, T. B. Hall; J. H. Todd, Hon. J. H. Turner, A. B. Gray, A. C. Flumerfelt, A. J. McLellan, Mayor Grant, Ald C. E. Renouf, and D. R. Ker. They will hold their first meeting next Tuesday morning.

The Piper Must be Paid.

Very few of the big crowd that, every Sunday afternoon, gathers at Beacon Hill, take into consideration the fact that it is no fun for the band, and the piper should be paid. Unless the citizens show their appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. Pferdner and his musicians, the Sunday concerts are fated to come to an end, and it is suggested that a subscription list be opened for the remuneration of the band. Good music is certainly worth paying for.

Tourists Who Will Come Here.

The first large Raymond-Whitcomb excursion party will sail for Alaska on June 7th, on the steamer Queen, in charge of Captain Carroll. There are 100 persons in this company, which is already made up, and they will return on the 19th of June. On June 11th another party will arrive from the Sound, returning on the 12th. On August 3rd a party will go through on the Queen, for Alaska, and another on the 18th. Both these will come over the Canadian Pacific, taking the steamer here and returning *via* Port Townsend. There will be one additional party in August and two in September, coming over the Northern Pacific. The August party will go as far south as Portland, and the September parties will go from here through California and Mexico.

Wanted, a Church.

The rapidly growing suburbs of Oak and Cadboro Bays, with their charming surroundings and attractions, are receiving considerat on on higher grounds than those pertaining to the purchase of real estate. The spiritual welfare of that neighborhood has become an earnest work in the hands of well-constituted authority for carrying on regular Sunday afternoon services under the auspices of the Diocesan of British Columbia. The church accommodation at present provided is limited to the Cadboro Bay school, but it is fully expected that in the near future further resources will be available, probably in the form of a small church, in which the increasing number of worshippers can offer their devotions. Such a consummation is much to be desired, and as several suitable building sites are to be procured, the existence of a church in the delightful district of Oak and Cadboro Bays may shortly be recorded.—Com.

Important.

The ladies of Victoria are respectfully invited to call and inspect the very latest styles in trimmed millinery. Mrs. Bowness has full charge of this department. Lansdowne House, Yates street. *

Rival Attractions.

It is difficult to tell which is the greatest attraction—Irish suitings, French pantings or English tennis and cricket goods, shown by Geo. R. Jackson, 68 Douglas street, who is the only merchant tailor in the city carrying these particular lines of goods. *

Model Residences.

Mr. Soule, architect, has just let contracts for Judge Harrison's new residence at Nanaimo; A. S. Dumbleton's residence on Belcher avenue, and John A. Andrews' residence on Garbally road.

R. H. Jamieson's residence on Superior street, will soon be ready for occupation. The men are hard at work plastering, putting in electric bells and electric lights.

Another Broken Propeller.

By a strange coincidence, the Islander was delayed last night, like the Kingston and owing to the same cause. When leaving Vancouver, the vessel's port propeller came in contact with a sunken pile, disabling it, and she came over to Victoria with only one propeller. Owing to this delay, she docked at the Outer wharf instead of entering the inner harbor.

To-Day's Sports.

The Union gun club will hold their regular practice at the Victoria driving park at 2:30 p.m.

There will be an interesting game of baseball between the Diamond baseball club and Oakdales at the Pandora street grounds this afternoon.

The members of the Island Wanderers bicycle club will leave in a body from the Burnes house at 3 o'clock for a practice run.

An Enjoyable Excursion.

The Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific and Spokane & Northern railroads are preparing a round excursion trip for $30, to begi the first of May. Parties can begin at any point on the route and make the round trip in a week. Those who leave Seattle will visit Spokane, The Dalles, Arrow Lakes, Revelstoke, Banff, Vancouver, Victoria, and then return by steamer to Seattle. The trip will be by steamer through Arrow Lakes and the Columbia river to Revelstoke.—Seattle Telegraph.

Tourist Spoons and Opera Glasses.

Mr. A. A. Clayton, of the Diamond Palace, Government street, has now completed and ready for inspection a large stock of tourist spoons, suitable for souvenirs of Victoria. In the bowls of the spoons are etched scenes of the Gorge, Dunsmuir Castle, Mount Baker and other pictures of Victoria scenery. He has also just received a consignment of beautiful opera glasses, in pearl and Russian leather, which are pronounced the finest ever imported to this city. tf

Major Hilton.

Major Hilton delivered an able and instructive lecture in the First Presbyterian church, last evening. The text of his subject was taken from St. Paul's epistle to the Ephesians, 5th chapter. He dwelt on the way the liquor traffic was carried on in the United States, and showed that in the different counties in certain States the atrocies committed by most of the criminals were in 75 cases out of 100 owing to strong drink. He gave several illustrations of the way large business firms in the States carry on their business transactions, as an illustration of the way employees are tempted to spend their earnings in drink. The lecture was well attended, and the arguments of the speaker were freely applauded.

Boating Season Opened.

The weather during the past week has been at its best for aquatic sports. The Gorge again assumes its lively aspect, and boats can be seen continually on its waters. D. D. McIntosh has forty-one pleasure boats, D. T. Jones thirty, and John Nicolls eighteen, a great many of which have been built this winter, and which will be greatly appreciated by the pleasure-seeking public. D. T. Jones is building an outrigged skiff, 20 feet long, 21 inches in width and weighing 35 pounds, for the James Bay Athletic club. It is the desire of the club, at the next regatta, to regain the silver cup, presented by Crane, McGregor & Boggs, won by Vancouver last year. No money has been spared in securing a model racing shell. The skiff will be finished next week. It is the neatest outrigger ever built in Victoria.

NOTICE.

Reserve your orders for Williams' B. C. Directory, 1892, which will far surpass all works heretofore attempted. Being a local industry we spend the money in the Province. R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

Will Get Steam Up.

The B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta company have completed the equipment of their works, and will get up steam for the first time this morning. By next week the pottery will be in practical operation, a large number of orders being already in hand.

Medical Exams.

The semi-annual examinations of the British Columbia Medical Council will be held in this city on Tuesday, the 5th proximo. Already six applicants have announced their intention of undergoing examination for the right to practice in the province.

The American Nightingale.

Annie Louise Tanner, the prima donna of the Musin concert company, which gives its initial concert on Monday evening, will be remembered by many Victorians as having accompanied the Boston Quintette Co. to this city. She then won golden opinions from the audiences, her voice being one of the sweetest sopranos ever heard here. Since that time it is understood her voice has wonderfully improved, and there is every reason to believe that her numbers on the programme will be in the highest sense enjoyable.

Will Miss a Trip.

The steamer City of Kingston was several hours late in making port, yesterday afternoon, and did not leave again during the evening. The reason was that, in entering Seattle during the morning, her propellor struck the top of a water-logged pile which had been sawn off a couple of feet below low water mark. Three flukes of the propeller were broken and one chipped, and the steamer will, therefore, enter the dry dock for repairs at 5 o'clock this morning The Albion Iron Works have the new propellor ready, and the Kingston will be able to resume her route to-morrow evening.

A Reminiscence of Paganini.

When Paganini, the violin virtuoso, first appeared in London, in 1831, the report preceded him that he had previously been imprisoned for a term of twenty years, and during this incarceration he was so poor that he could not even provide himself with a proper instrument, or strings for the same. He therefore made a violin out of a wooden shoe, on which he played almost constantly. At last he had but the "G" string left on his instrument. It was then that he composed the beautiful and very difficult variations on Rossini's Prayer of "Moses in Egypt." These reports resulted unfavorably to him socially, but his artistic engagements were very successful.

Mr. Musin will play this famous composition during the present season on a violin having but one string, the "G." Mr. Musin is the only violin virtuoso who plays the original Paganini variations, having secured them from a relative of the famous Paganini, and possessing now the only copy in existence.

The variations are so very intricate and deceptive as to frequently call forth doubt from violinists in the audience as to their being played upon one string, yet the violin upon which this great composition will be played is open to inspection for one and all. No *virtuoso* who has travelled through America has received such universal ovations from the critics as Mr. Musin. He has never yet received an adverse criticism in any Americaa paper. This is truly a very remarkable thing, and only has the tendency to prove that Ovide Musin is all, and even more, than is claimed for him. Many eminent critics have pronounced him the greatest violinist living to-day, and the only violinist that can be favorably compared with the Great "Wieniawski."

OLD FRIENDS ARE THE TRUEST.

Men and women learn to appreciate old and true friends after they have passed through the ordeal of bitter disappointments, treachery and betrayal by new found friends, about whose antecedents they know nothing. It is just so with package dyes for domestic dyeing. The old and true friends, Diamond Dyes, are loved by all, but at times new friendships are cultivated through carelessness and crude, common dyes are tried, only to cause regrets, anger and disappointments; strong resolutions are then made that the old friends will forever be firmly adhered to and continued confidence placed in them.

The Canadian Pacific Railway issue tickets at lowest rates to all points via any route. Upholstered tourist cars to St. Paul and Montreal without change. Intending travellers will find it to their advantage to call at office, 75 Government street.

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Y. M. C. A. ATHLETES.

Dr. Wade Talks Ten Minutes About Physical Exercise.

All the chairs in the lecture room and parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association were filled last evening, and even the door ways were crowded with people eager to witness the gymnastic performances of seven young athletes, members of the Y.M.C.A. The entertainment was opened by a duett played sweetly by the Misses Davie. Miss Cusack, the popular pianist, next played an instrumental solo with her usual good taste, followed by a song, "The Tempest," by Mr. D. Des Brisay, which was well applauded. Mr. Fraser played a violin solo, which was highly appreciated. Dr. M. S. Wade spoke for about ten minutes on the necessity of "Physical Training," which is the best means of securing or maintaining health. He referred to the assimilation of food changing into bone and muscle, the necessity of exercise in carrying off the waste matter of the body; the necessity of muscular exercise in developing the physical as well as the mental frame; gymnastic exercises for young men in offices, and how the blood would be purified by healthy exercise. The main thing was to have a good instructor;—they had one.

After the doctor's speech, Messrs. D. Des Brisay, H. Roper, P. Cregg, Geo. Sharp, A. Brown, N. Hendricks and T. Cusack, members of the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium, performed on the parallel bars, and while the young gentleman went through the dip, balance, hand-spring and cut-away, music was well played by Miss Cusack, Miss Davie and Mr. Fraser. The last act was of the parallel bar class, led by Mr. Des Brisay, and, as a physical exercise, is unequalled for strengthening the arms and chest. The display was greatly enjoyed by the audience, who applauded every performer. Next Wednesday, there will be a social in the lecture room of the Association.

LEGAL NOTES.

(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

In Chambers—Gray vs. McCallum. Application to postpone trial and add E. M. Johnson as party to action. Adjourned until the 20th inst. C. C. Pemberton for plaintiff, E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

County Court—Jordan vs. Hunt. Suit to recover $72 wages. Settled out of court. Mr. Wilson for plaintiff, Mr. Fell for defendant.

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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

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WOOL DRESS GOODS—In Henrietta Cloths, all colours; French All-Wool Plaids, the choicest of the season. Muslin Delaines, French Boating Serge, a very fine quality that will not spot with rain or sea water. A choice line of Plaids and Stripes from 15c. per yard. A beautiful line of French Boating Flannels in Stripes.

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WANTED--Apprentices in the Dressmaking Department.

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TENDERS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Saturday noon, the 25th inst., for the erection of a two story Frame Dwelling in Avalon Road, James Bay.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE, Architect.

Victoria, April 16, 1891. ap16

TENDERS are wanted for blasting a quantity of rock on No. 14, corner Work and Bridge St., Rock Bay. For particulars enquire at No. 15 Herald street. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted. Alex. Cameron.

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TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS are requested by 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, April 22nd, for the building of a House on the Gorge Road. Plans to be seen at the offices of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

CORNELIUS J. SOULE, ARCHITECT.

Offices, Turner Block, Douglas St., Victoria. ap12

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tenders for City Market," will be received at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday the 22nd instant, at 4 p.m., for the erection of PUBLIC MARKET BUILDINGS in the City of Victoria.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque payable to the order of the City Treasurer, equal to five per cent. of the amount of tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for. Cheques will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of John Teague, Esq., Senior, Architect, corner of Broad and Trounce Avenue.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, April 9th, 1891. ap10

MUNICIPAL.

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned until Wednesday, the 6th day of May next, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $10,000, issued under authority of the Municipal Act, 1889, and amendment thereto of 1890 and the "Flour Mill Bonus By-Law 1889."

Any information respecting said Debentures, or the Financial Standing of the City, may be obtained upon application at this office.

The highest or any proposal not necessarily accepted.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, April 16, 1891. ap17

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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MINES REGULATION.

MR. KEITH said inasmuch as a number of members had informed him that they did not thoroughly understand the question of coal mines regulation, and desired further information, he would withdraw the bill which stood in his name, if the member for Cowichan would withdraw his bill to repeal the Coal Mines Regulation bill of last session.

MR. CROFT declined to accede to the proposal.

HON. MR. POOLEY said that as long as the present statute remained, so long would the Union Co. be harrassed by a bill which was inoperative. It should, therefore, be taken off the statute book. If it were proved that Chinese were dangerous as miners, he would be prepared next session, if a committee of this House reported in that sense, to vote for such a bill as that of the member for Nanaimo.

MR. BROWN deprecated the course of the member for Esquimalt in forcing members to vote in support of a bill which he declared to be inoperative. Why should it not go over till next session?

HON. MR. ROBSON said that when the debate on Mr. Keith's bill was adjourned it was the express understanding that Mr. Croft's bill should be disposed of first.

MR. GRANT thought it would have been better if both members had withdrawn their bills. There were conditions of the case which many members did not understand. There had been a great amount of inconsistency in this matter, and in order to settle it he had felt bound to allow Chinese to be employed in all lines of business. In this way the disease, if there were any, would cure itself. He held it to be right for him, personally, to employ whom he chose; but when it became a matter of subsidising public enterprise it was for this House to prevent the employment of the Chinese upon them,

MR. NASON was not of the opinion that Chinese were dangerous, and should vote to rectify the wrong he had done last year in supporting the bill now in operation.

The motion for the second reading of Mr. Keith's bill to prevent the employment of Chinese in mines, being put to the House, was lost on a vote of 15 to 14, as follows:—

Ayes—Milne, Beaven, Cotton, Smith, Brown, Forster, Keith, Semlin, Grant, McKenzie, Sword, Kitchen, Punch, Kellie—14.

Nays—Robson, Davie, Vernon, Eberts, Stoddart, Booth, Hall, Nason, Pooley, Turner, Martin, Croft, Rogers, Anderson, Fletcher—15.

The House went into committee on Mr. Croft's bill to repeal the Coal Mines Regulation Act, Mr. Stoddart in the chair.

In committee the bill was defeated on a vote of 15 to 14, and the committee rose.

It was announced that when the House adjourned it would be until 10 o'clock this (Saturday) morning.

EVENING SESSION.

The House met at eight o'clock.

The following bills were

READ A THIRD TIME AND PASSED:

Victoria and North American R.R.—Mr. Grant.

Toad Mountain and Nelson Tramway—Mr. Kellie.

Legal Professions Bill—Hon. Mr. Davie.

County Courts Bill—Hon. Mr. Davie.

The report of the committee of the whole on the Municipal Amendment Bill was read a third time.

WESTMINSTER ENABLING BILL.

The House went into committee on the Westminster Enabling Bill, Mr. CROFT in the chair.

The first clause read: "The term "Corporation," wherever used in this Act, means the municipality of the corporation of the city of New Westminster, and wherever the term 'works' is used in this Act, such term shall include all the works, matters, and things hereinbefore recited and all such other works matters and things whatsoever as may hereafter at any time, and from time to time, be deemed by the corporation to be necessary or expedient in extension or aid of the said hereinbefore recited works, matters, and things, or any of them, for the more fully and effectually completing, operating, or developing the same, or any of them, or rendering them, or any of them more serviceable, efficient, or effectual for any purpose for which the same, or any of them, may have been constructed, or may hereafter be found to be to the advantage of the corporation or its inhabitants."

DR. MILNE contended that it was against public policy that the House should pass this bill. He denounced the way in which the bill had been brought in; how it had been repudiated by the Attorney-General and placed in the name of another gentleman, who knew nothing about it. He moved to strike out all the words after "hereinbefore recited."

MR. MARTIN agreed with Dr. Milne. The Private Bills committee had reported against the bill, which ought not to be passed in its present shape.

MR. BOOTH denied that there was any idea that the bill should sanction irregular matters in the hereafter. It was merely to provide for what had been done.

MR. BROWN said he had acted in perfect good faith in the matter. The opposition to the bill was only from a few persons whose action had been repudiated by a very influential meeting of residents last night. The people of New Westminster understood matters better than this House could possibly do. The amendment of Dr. Milne would kill the bill.

MR. STODDART having taken the chair,

MR. CROFT said he thought this bill infringed on private rights.

HON. MR. BEAVEN said there was a good deal to be said in favor of striking out the clause. It was one thing, however, to legalize what had been done in the past and another thing to sanction what they might do in the future. He was in favor of setting matters right, but what was the use of a law unless it were maintained? The latter part of the section ought to be struck out.

HON. MR. DAVIE agreed with the leader of the Opposition. He would not be a party to perpetrating a wrong. He hoped the committee would strike out the words objected to.

After a long discussion

MR. BROWN explained at length the special circumstances of the case, Dr. Milne's amendment being ultimately carried.

MR. BROWN moved to add to the amendment "and the operation and maintenance of the same."

The amendment was lost.

A number of other amendments were made, in committee, to the Bill, which materially restricted the power conferred, and the Bill was reported with amendments.

The Vancouver City Amendment Bill was read a third time and passed, and the House adjourned at 12.15.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
15th April, 1891.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered under the "Public School Act" to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of Victoria City School District be altered and re-defined as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Vancouver City School District, as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Vancouver.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of New Westminster City School District, as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of New Westminster.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Nanaimo City School District, as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Nanaimo.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Esquimalt School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south west corner of Section 26, Esquimalt District; thence easterly in a direct line to the south-west corner of Section 10 of the said District; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Section to the western boundary of Victoria City; thence south along the western boundary of the said City to the sea-shore; thence southerly, westerly, northerly and easterly, following the shore lines of Juan de Fuca Strait and Esquimalt Harbour to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Cowichan School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 13, Range IV., Quamichan District; thence due south to the south-west corner of Section 1, Range IV., of the said District; thence due east to the south-east corner of Section 1, Range VIII.; thence north to the north-east corner of Section 12, Range VIII., Cowichan District; thence in a direct line west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to alter and redefine the boundaries of Quamichan School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the northern point of the boundary line separating Ranges VII. and VIII., Quamichan District; thence due south four miles; thence in a direct line east to Cowichan Harbour; thence northerly following the sea-shore to the south-west corner of Lot 14, Range IV., Cowichan District; thence due north to the northern boundary line of said District; thence in a direct line west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Oyster School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the eastern extremity of the northern boundary line of Chemainus District; thence directly west to the north-west corner of the said District; thence due south to the boundary line between Sections 15 and 16, Range I., of the said District; thence west to a point due south of the south-west corner of Oyster District; thence due north to the said south-west corner of the said District; thence following the western boundary line of the said District to its north-west corner; thence east to the sea-shore; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of South Cowichan School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 15, Range IX., Shawnigan District; thence west in a direct line to the western boundary line of said District; thence due north to the north-west corner of Section 12, Range I., Cowichan District; thence true east to the sea-shore; thence southerly following the sea-shore to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Clover Valley School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 9, Township 8, New Westminster District; thence true south to the Township line; thence west along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 6, Township 8; thence in a direct line north to the Yale Waggon Road; thence south-easterly along the said road to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Mud Bay School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 23, Township 1, New Westminster District; thence due north to the north-east corner of Section 2, Township 2; thence west one mile; thence true north to the north-east corner of Section 22 of the said Township; thence due west to the north-west corner of Township 19; thence in a direct line south to Mud Bay; thence easterly and southerly along the shore line of said bay to the western extremity of the line dividing Sections 18 and 19, Township 1; thence in a direct line east to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Mount Lehman School District, as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the Fraser River, being the north-west corner of Section 27, Township 14, New Westminster District; thence due south to the south-west corner of Section 3 of said Township; thence due east to the south-east corner of Section 6, Township 17; thence due north to the Fraser River; thence north-westerly along the left bank of the said river to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Aldergrove School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 35, Township 10, New Westminster district; thence due east four miles to the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 33, Township 13; thence in a direct line south to the centre of Section 15 of the said Township; thence in a direct line west to the middle point of Section 14, Township 10; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Port Moody School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of Lot 374, Group One, Block 6 north, Range 1 west, New Westminster District; thence due west four miles; thence due north four miles; thence in a direct line east four miles; thence true south four miles to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Sooke School District, as follows:—

All those portions of the District of Sooke lying north and east of Sooke Harbour, and not included in the East Sooke School District.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Tolmie School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the intersection of Harriet Road with Burnside Road, Victoria District; thence westerly alongside Burnside Road to Colquitz River: thence up the said river to the western boundary of Section 77; thence northerly along the said western boundary to the north-west corner of said Section; thence due east to the central point of the eastern boundary line of Section 64; thence south along the western boundary lines of Sections 32 and 62 to the south-east corner of Section 63; thence westerly along the northern boundary of Victoria City to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Craigflower School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the intersection of Harriet Road with Burnside Road, Victoria District; thence westerly along Burnside Road to Colquitz River; thence up said river to the north-east corner of Section 1, Lake District: thence west to the north-west corner of said Section; thence in a direct line north-west to the north-east corner of Section 116; thence due west to the north-west corner of said Section; thence in a direct line south to the northern boundary line of Esquimalt District; thence west to the north-east corner of Section 98 of the said District; thence along the eastern boundary line of said Section to Parson's Bridge; thence south-easterly along the water line of Esquimalt Harbour to the south-west corner of Section 26; thence in a direct line to the south-west corner of Section 10; thence easterly along the southern boundary of said Section to the western boundary of Victoria City; thence northerly along the western boundary line of the said city to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Cedar Hill School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the western extremity of the southern boundary line of Gordon Head School District; thence westerly along the northern boundary line of Victoria District to the Saanich Road; thence southerly along the said road to its intersection with the central dividing line of Section 64; thence east to the central point of the eastern boundary line of Section 64; thence south along the western boundary lines of Sections 32 and 62 to the south-east corner of Section 63; thence easterly following the northern boundary lines of Victoria City and the southern boundary of Section 34 to its intersection with the western boundary of Cadboro School District; thence northerly along the said western boundary to the sea-shore; thence westerly along the southern boundary line of Gordon Head School District to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to cancel the boundaries of the School District known as Victoria West.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
ap18-1w *Provincial Secretary.*

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
15th April, 1891.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the tract of land included within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of "East Sooke School District:"

Commencing at the southern extremity of the eastern boundary line of Sooke District, terminating in Beecher Bay; thence northerly following the said boundary line to the south-eastern extremity of Section 76 of said District; thence north-westerly following the southern boundary line of the said Section to Sooke Harbour; thence westerly, southerly, easterly and northerly following the sea-shore to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to a School District, under the title of the "Gordon Head School District:"—

All that portion of Victoria District lying north of the line separating Sections 86, 17, 84 and 85 from Sections 52 and 53, the said line being extended westerly to the northern boundary line of Victoria District and easterly to the sea-shore.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District under the title of the "Duncan School District:"—

Commencing at the northern point of the boundary line separating Ranges III. and IV., Quamichan District; thence due south four miles to the south-west corner of Lot 1, Range IV., of said District; thence due east four miles; thence in a direct line north four miles; thence true west four miles to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Chemainus Landing School District:"—

Commencing at the eastern extremity of the boundary line separating Lots 13 and 14, Range, VII., Chemainus District; thence in a direct line west to the western boundary line of the said District; thence north to the northern boundary line of the said District; thence due east to the sea shore; thence south-easterly following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Hornby School District:"

All that tract of land known as Hornby Island, situated in Comox District.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Abbotsford School District":—

Commencing at the north-west corner of Section 32, Township 16, New Westminster District; thence due east to the north-east corner of Section 36 of the said Township; thence in a direct line south to the international boundary line; thence due west along the said line to the south-west corner of Section 5; thence true north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Brownsville School District":—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 1, Block 5 north, Range 2 west, New Westminster District; thence due south to the south-east corner of Lot 36, Block 5 north, Range 2 west; thence in a direct line west to Fraser River; thence up the said river to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Dunach School District:"

Commencing at the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 33, Township 13, New Westminster District; thence due east four and a half miles to the north-east corner of Section 31, Township 16; thence in a direct line south to the international boundary line; thence west along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 4, Township 13; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Nanoose School District:"

Commencing at the southern extremity of North-west Bay, Nanoose District; thence in a direct line west to the western boundary line of said District; thence along the western and southern boundary lines of said District to the sea-shore; thence northerly following the coast line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Parksville School District:"

Commencing at the southern extremity of the North-west Bay, Nanoose District; thence due west to the western boundary line of said District; thence northerly five miles along the western boundary line of said District; thence due east to the sea shore; thence southerly following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Also that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District under the title of the "Junction School District:"

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 385, Group One, Block 6 north, Range 1 west, New Westminster District; thence due east to the Pitt River; thence south-westerly following the shore line to the mouth of Coquitlam River: thence in a direct line north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District," under the title of the "Surrey Centre School District:"

Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 27, Township 2, New Westminster District; thence true south to the McLennan Road; thence east one mile to the north-west corner of Section 1, Township 2; thence south one mile to the Township line; thence east along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 6, Township 8; thence in a direct line north to the Yale Waggon Road; thence north-westerly along the said road to its intersection with the Section line between Sections 24 and 25, Township 2; thence true west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "South Aldergrove School District:"

Commencing at the middle point of the eastern boundary line of Section 16, Township 10; thence due east five and a half miles to the centre of Section 15, Township 13; thence due south two and a half miles to the international boundary line; thence west along the said line to the south-west corner of Section 3, Township 10; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Simpson School District:"—

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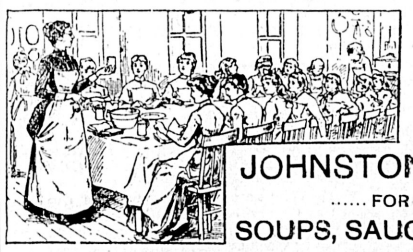

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NOTICES.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 1725, 1726 and part of Lot 182 E, Victoria City; and the East half of Suburban Lot 52, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to hereditaments will be issued to Carlo Bossi on the 7th day of May, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th February, 1891. mr1-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 41 and 42, Block E, Victoria West, Esquimalt District.

A CERTIFICATE of Indefeasible Title to the above Lots will be issued to Richard H. McKay, on the 6th day of June, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th December, 1890. mr6-3m

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act authorizing the Victoria and North American Railway Company to construct, maintain and work a Steam Ferry from the proposed terminus of their Railway line at Beecher Bay on the North side of the Straits of Fuca, in the Province of British Columbia, to a point on the South side of the said Straits of Fuca, in the State of Washington, one of the United States of America, for the purpose of connecting the applicants' railway with the American System of Railways.

Victoria, B.C., 28th March, A. D. 1891.

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ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 18, 1891.

Sun rises.....5:04 a.m. | Sun sets.....6:55 p.m.
Moon rises 3.37 p. m.
Day of the year, 108th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, April 17, 1891.
Report for 21 hours ending 9 p m.

1 a. m.,	47°	Mean 51°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	43°		
9 a. m.,	51°	Highest 60°	5 a m.—Calm.
1 p. m.,	60°		1 p.m.—8 miles E.
5 p. m.,	58°	Lowest 42°	9 p.m.—4 miles S.W.
9 p. m.,	48°		Rain—

Average state of weather—Fair.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver.—A Geddes, A Martin, B McGregor, A Price, H E Newton, F Wolfenden, C Wilson, J Lequne, J E Scarlett, E B Reed, wife and child, L G Henderson, J Wilson, W McPherson, John Rowan, W R Fos er, A French, P. D. Fogarty, A McKinnon, Mary L Turner, Nora Turner, W Robinson. J Munro, S Goodman, B Kelly, W Slate, J Loutre, Mrs Dermott, W G Newton, R E Jackson, D Plummer, Miss Parker, E Spillman, Mrs E J Miller, R Collister, W L Lynn, J H Todd, J M Boyd, E Hunt, J Mercer, Mrs A E Corbitt, J T Stewart, J M McDonald, M E Plummer, Maud Turner, T G Cozens, P Hicken, T Munro, J Lapthorn, J Spence.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound.—T Osborne, ennis Scott, Antony Grosky, F M Black, Wm Weir, D Pennoyer, J H Ogilvie, J Bowker, Fred Darvill, J B Smith, A M Arnold, Jno Connelly, Jno Goskin, A F Knox, Mike Millan, W Donald, J A Rankine, Mrs Lockitt, J P Lyons, E H Lydd, L S Barrett, Rudy Lutz, E M Saver, M Leslie, R Harris, M Salmon, R Amos, C Lepoint, Harry Dahl and wife, R H Freeman, O B Scott, Henry Elfen, J Baxter, J Fiord, J Brennan, W Haley, F Hansen, N E Rounds.

Per str. CITY OF PUEBLA from San Francisco H F Heimb, Miss K Burns, Miss A Lyon, T J Burnes, A Roschild, Jos M Ofahl, Mrs S A Stoddard, Mrs P Richards, Mrs G H Offerman, Capt Wm Grant, Robt Butler, A E Campbell, Jno Morrell and wife, Mr Goodwin and wife, J Savannah, R McMullen, Mrs A M Brown, Jas Rosseau and wife, W Gurtenberg.

Per Str. CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—B F Hicks, A B Todd, W Oakes, G Fox, H C Glover, F Boggs, A W Heywood and wife, W S Spotten, C E Hein, A D Boughman and wife, Mrs H C Gloath, S Thompson, F Adair, Miss Dawson, Chas Tulman, M Macbride, F Macgurn, F Fuller, D Evans, J Merrifield, G Fernoy, Mrs Post and aughter, E George.

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Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver:—G Watson, S Gray, T Fell, J Barnsley, R T Williams, Bouchent & Co, Langley & Co, Weiler Bros R C Howell, Rowbotham & Co, J Piercy & Co, C Strouss & Co, Nicholls & Renouf, Turner Beeton, J A T Caton, M R Smith, A & W Wilson, B C Can Co, J Miller, J Meston, Mrs F G Walker, W Wilson & Co, Lenz & Leiser, R Cunningham, D H Ross, J Maynard, M W Waitt, M R Smith, J A Clark, Hudson Bay Co, Cowan & Wilson, Fell & Co, Carmichael & Patterson, Hastie & Erskine, Mrs E Frank, Shore & Anderson, G Powell, Celbe & Warner, Dom Ex Co, Mary C Plummer, J Hutcheson, R Nicholls, T M Graham, Rev A C Price, McLean & Stewart, Ellis & Co, J T Norris, A Elemuir, R Jamieson, H Mansell, W Bayilli, H Gribble, Vic Rice Mill, Thompson & King, O E Marche, Moore & Co, R Bretton.

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Br. bk. Lanarkshire, Naval Yard, 71 days.
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From Bankok—
Br. ship Thermopylæ, Hall, Ross & Co.
From Callao—
Br. bk. Lancefield.

LOCAL.

Str. City of Puebla arrived yesterday, after making the trip from San Francisco in fifty hours.

Schr. Geneva is under the shears at Spratt's wharf, having her bowsprit, which was broken, taken out and a new one put in.

Str. Rainbow left yesterday morning for Port Angeles with a few passengers.

Str. Mystery lies at Spratt's wharf awaiting orders.

Schr. Henrietta is taking on provisions, etc., at Janion's wharf.

Str. Mexico is due from San Francisco tonight, with the first Alaska excursion party of the season.

Str. Maude towed the steamer Yosemite down from Esquimalt yesterday.

Steamer Falcon left for Nanaimo yesterday for a scow load of coal.

Str. Pilot comes off the ways this morning, and will tow the bark Irvine out to sea.

Str. Oreole has been transferred from this port of entry to Vancouver.

Str. Michigan is due from Portland and the Sound to-day.

NEWS OF THE RAILROADS.

The Port Townsend Southern Elects Officers—The Great Northern's Big Mortgage—The Line to South America.

The annual meeting of the Port Townsend Southern railroad was held in Port Townsend, on Thursday. All of the stock was represented either in person or by proxy. The officers elected were: W. H. Starbuck, president, vice Elijah Smith; C. J. Smith, vice-president, vice W. H. McNeil; secretary, H. McLellan, re-elected. The board of directors consists of W. H. Starbuck, of New York; F. H. Prince, of Boston; C. J. Smith, of Portland; J. C. Haines and H. McLellan, of Seattle, and Charles Eisenbeis Sr. and Thomas Jackman, of Port Townsend. With the exception of Messrs. Prince, Haines and Starbuck, the board is the same as it was last year.

Arrangements for the consolidation of the Olympia and Chehalis road with the Port Townsend Southern were made. It has not yet been decided which forty miles of the road will be built this year, whether from the Olympia end of the line to Union City, or from Quilcene Bay to Union City. Forty miles is to be constructed, however, and the whole line completed by next year.

THE GREAT NORTHERN IN OKANOGAN.

A telegram to the Tacoma Globe from Ruby Creek, says that the Great Northern Railroad company filed a mortgage with the county clerk for $30,000,000. This, taken with the work of numerous engineering parties, is considered as good evidence that Okanogan will be traversed by the Great Northern.

THE ROAD TO SOUTH AMERICA.

William Davis, general superintendent of the Corpus Christi & South American Railroad Company, which is building the line of railroad from the United States to South America, gives a summary of the work as far as it has gone. He says, though little has been said about it to the public, the road is one of the greatest railroad building enterprises ever undertaken. The line which the company has begun is to 2,150 miles in length. Three years are to be taken in building. From 5,000 to 10,000 men will be employed. Contracts have been made which call for completion from Corpus Christi to the Rio Grande by September 1. The line will cross the Rio Grande at Brownsville, Tex., and run thence to Tuxpan, from which point a branch line will run to the City of Mexico, the main line continuing from Tuxpan to Manitatland and Tehuantepec in Mexico, thence to Guatemala, Salvador, Nicaragua and Panama. Concessions have been made by the governments of each country through which it will pass, and subsidies will be granted.

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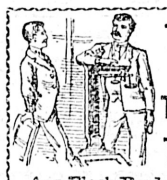
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MAYNARD'S ART STUDIO, 99 DOUGLAS Street. Dealers in all kinds of photographic material, views of British Columbia and Alaska.
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HALLS TO RENT—A large and small hall to rent, suitable for Societies, &c. Well lighted. Rent moderate. Large hall will seat 200 people. Apply W. H. Ireland, Trade and Labor Club, cor. Government and Pandora streets. mr21

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Boiler, Engine and Machinery for a small Steamer.
Boiler, Engines, Planer and Machinery, removed from a Saw-mill
For particulars apply to
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
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March 26, 1891. mr29

REMOVAL.
JNO. TEAGUE,
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Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue. feb20tf

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The Third and Last
Of the marvelously
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R. M. S.
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Sails from Liverpool June 19, 1891
Passengers will have an opportunity of seeing England, Egypt, Ceylon, China, Japan and Canada.
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DESPATCH A STEAMER EVERY FIVE days for San Francisco, carrying Her Majesty's mails, from Outer Wharf at 11 a.m.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA STEAMSHIP CO.
The fine iron steamship
'WEST INDIAN'
1805 tons register,
S. F. SCOTT, - - MASTER,
Having commenced her regular fortnightly trips between Victoria and San Francisco, will leave the latter port for Victoria on Sunday, April 19.
For freight and passage apply to ROBT. WARD & CO., 76 Wharf Street,
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Steamer ISABEL
J. E. BUTLER, Master.
On and after November 19th, 1889,
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.
The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows,
CALLING AT WAY PORTS:
Leave Victoria for Nanaimo, Tuesdays, 5.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Comox, Wed'days, 7.00 "
" Comox " Nanaimo, Fridays, 7.00 "
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For freight or passage apply on board. feb6

CANADIAN PACIFIC
NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited.)
Time Table No. 13, takes effect July 17, 1890.
Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 3 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.
New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster Ladner's Land'g and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock. Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 21 going east Monday.)
For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock.
Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
Northern Route:
Steamships of this Co. will leave or Fort Simpson and intermediate ports on the FIRST and FIFTEENTH of each month When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.
Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on or about April 7th.
Bute Inlet Route:
Steamer RAINBOW leaves every Tuesday at 7 a. m. for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification. Steamers leave by Standard time.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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The Colonist.

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1891.

DIED.

HETT—In this city, on the 15th instant, of pneumonia, John Rowland Hett (barrister-at-law), a native of Lincolnshire, England, aged 48 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (Saturday) at 2,30 p.m. from his late residence, South Park street, and at 3 p.m. from Christ Church Cathedral.

Friends are invited to attend.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Stoves and cutlery at Cheapside. *

Curling tongs and lamps at Fox's. ap7-1m

The new buildings of "C" battery will be finished in about a month.

The members of the Bar will, this afternoon, attend the funeral of the late J. R. Hett.

Some elegant new style Parlor Furniture and upholstery goods at Weiler Bros. *

Breeding and other cages at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street. *

Prof. Heath will leave for Wellington, today, and will return about the beginning of May.

An oil portrait of the late Mr. Frank Campbell, from the brush of Roland Lee, adorns the "corner."

Butchers' and Cooks' knives, just arrived, at Fox's. ap7-1m

The Lyceum is the best public hall in the city for concerts, meetings, etc. *

Owing to the accident to the Islander, yesterday, she did not go over to Vancouver, this morning.

The Sable Serenaders report their performance at The Victoria, by special request, next Thursday.

Stone jars, from 1 quart to 5 gallons, at R. A. Brown & Co 's, Douglas street. *

Baby Buggies, Reed and Rattan Chairs and Rockers, in great variety, at Weiler Bros. *

The McMullen case came up before the magistrate, yesterday morning, and was remanded until Monday next.

News was received, last evening, from Seattle, of the accidental death of Wallace Lang, formerly a resident of this city.

Garden or chicken fencing, four feet high, at 18 cents a yard, at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

For shaving materials, etc., go to Fox's, 78 Government street. *

Broken shafts and broken harness were the result of a runaway, in which a horse owned by McLennan & McFeely was concerned, yesterday.

Thomas & Glover have been awarded the contract for Pierre's new block, to be built on Douglas street. Excavation work will be commenced immediately.

See the 300-candle power and other lamps at R. A. Brown & Co's, Douglas street. *

A nice line of pocket knives, razors, scissors, and table cutlery, just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

A gang of men are hard at work blowing out stumps where Garvin & Campbell's hotel is to be situated. The excavation work will commence immediately.

In the Supreme Court, yesterday, before Justice Drake, an *interim* injunction was granted in the case of Phoenix vs. Sing Lee, restraining the latter from further trespassing upon certain lots forming part of the Fairfield estate, the property of the plaintiff.

PERSONAL.

W. S. Spotton, of Chicago, is in town.

H. T. Glover, of Chicago, is at the Driard.

Chas. Wilson returned from Westminster, last night.

Robert Freeman, of Port Townsend, is at the Driard.

W. H. Lomas, Indian agent, of Duncan's, is in town.

M. W. Waitt is confined to his bed by pneumonia.

John Savannah returned from San Francisco, yesterday.

Capt. Wm. Grant returned by the City of Puebla, yesterday.

Henry Maxwell was reported to be slightly better, last evening.

Capt. J. G. Prentiss, of the U. S. cavalry, is visiting friends here.

T. J. Burnes and daughter returned from San Francisco, yesterday.

J. H. Todd and R. Collister returned from the mainland, last night.

F. B. Gregory has reached San Francisco on his way home from Washington.

E. Baynes Reed, wife and child, came over by the Islander, last night.

Jas. Wilson, superintendent of C. P. R. telegraphs, came over from Vancouver, last night.

R. J. Butler, of the post-office department, returned from California, yesterday morning, by the City of Puebla.

W. J. Goepel and wife have gone to Nanaimo to take part in a fashionable wedding that will be celebrated there tomorrow.

Max. Leiser, brother of G. and S. Leiser, arrived out from Cologne, Germany, the other day, and will become a permanent resident of Victoria. It is understood that he will become a partner in the wholesale grocery business of S. Leiser.

DOWN IN ALABAMA.

The President Enjoying His Journey Through the Southern States—Birmingham's Ovation.

A Meeting Arranged With the President of Mexico During the Visit to El Paso.

ATLANTA, April 16.—The presidential party left here, this morning for Birmingham, Ala., on the Georgia Pacific railroad.

The party had a delightful six hours' trip over the Georgia Pacific, from Atlanta to Birmingham, Ala. The President showed great interest in the scenery and evidences of enterprise seen on every side. The feature of the run was the prominent display of flags at all of the stations, particularly at Tallapoosa, known here as "a Yankee city under a Southern sun," because many New England capitalists have invested there. At that place the Mayor introduced the President to the people, and the President made a brief speech. The local postmaster then presented hickory canes to the President and Postmaster-General, and other persons presented flowers to the ladies.

There was a great crowd at Anniston-Ala. The local militia and a band of Sunday school children formed a line in front of the station. Each member of the presidential party was given a fine silk badge suitably inscribed, while the ladies were given bouquets. Ex-Lieutenant Governor McKlosoy delivered an address of welcome, and William Stevens spoke on behalf of the colored population.

IN ALABAMA.

The president's reception at Birmingham was an ovation, and the demonstration was the noisiest that has been experienced on the trip thus far. Governor Jones and staff in full uniform and a committee of citizens met the party at Henry Ellyn and escorted them to the city, where the president was welcomed by the mayor and other municipal officers. Drawn up in line at the station were Grand Army posts, Confederate veterans, local militia, public school children and an immense crowd of people. The city was elaborately decorated with national colors and beautiful dogwood blossoms, and business was generally suspended. Addresses of welcome were made by Governor Jones and Mayor Lane, and when the President rose to respond he was greeted with deafening cheers. He thanked the people deeply for the demonstration and spoke of the marvelous development of this region which could not be comprehended until seen. He told how he had a number of years ago listened with some incredulity to stories told him by Colonel Powell, one of the early promoters of Birmingham. He thought the colonel was visionary then, but now he wished he had taken his fee for professional services in Birmingham town lots. (Laughter.)

The President then went to an open carriage in a procession consisting of military and civic bodies, and drove through the city. Excursion trains had been coming in all morning and the streets were packed with people, who cheered lustily as the President passed. As the procession passed the opera-house, the members of a traveling opera company sang "America." In one of the principal streets school children were assembled en masse. Two little tots stepped out and handed the President a beautifully illuminated address from all of the school children in the city. The President was greatly surprised, and stopping the carriage he alighted and kissed each of the little ones who had made the presentation. The crowd cheered and the children sang "America" as the President drove on. At the Caldwell Hotel the cars were taken by the party to South Highlands, where a bird's-eye view of the city was obtained. On the return a short reception was given him by the colored citizens at the Sixteenth street Baptist church, and he responded briefly to an address of welcome. After this he was driven to the train, which left for Memphis shortly after 8 o'clock, amidst the cheers of an immense crowd.

The President has assented to an arrangement for a meeting with the President of Mexico during his visit to El Paso.

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for ladies' and gent's cast off clothing. Address—S. Cooness, door west Broad st., on Johnson. *

New Books.

Basil and Annette—B. L. Fargeon; 30c.
The Crime of Paul Sacristan—A. Campbell; 30 cts.
The Honorable Miss L. J. Meade, price, 30 cts.
The Wages of Sin, by Lucas Malet, price, 40 cts.
The Light of the World, by Edwin Arnold, price, 60 cts.
Emin Pasha, by A. J. Mounteray Jephson, price, $7 50.
And also a number of new French novels.
For sale by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

Canada's favorite instrument is the Heintzman piano, a new shipment of which have just been received by the agents, M. W. Waitt & Co.

NELSON CITY Land and Improvement Co. LIMITED.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 13th, 1891.

Owners of lots in the townsite of Nelson City, Kootenay District, are hereby notified that the Company intend to have all the remaining unsold property cleared; any owner desirous of having their lot or lots cleared will please call at the office of the Secretary, Mr. E. Crow Baker, and make arrangements.

Owners of lots on Nelson Avenue are also notified that the Company will, as soon as possible, call for tenders for the grading of Nelson Avenue for its entire length and width, at its own cost; and the Company intend to lay down an eight feet sidewalk should the owners join in; the cost is guaranteed not to exceed $20.00 per lot.

Taxes for 1890 have been paid by the Company; receipts are ready and can be had at the Secretary's office upon payment of 50 cents per lot.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Managing Director.
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"ABBOTSFORD."

Arrangements having been made with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for right of way, station and other railway facilities at Abbotsford, necessitating a re-survey, all maps or plans of this townsite are withdrawn, and a new survey will be made at once, and lithographed maps will be ready by the 30th April.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Agent for Owners.

Victoria Times and Vancouver World please copy. ap14

DENTAL SURGERY.

TO MY PATIENTS AND PUBLIC—Intending to leave for Europe in a short time, and in order of reducing my supply, I will make a reduction on my Improved Sets of Artificial Teeth. Sample set can be seen at my Office. DR. HARTMAN,
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CABBAGE PLANTS.

20,000 A 1 Plants for Sale.

100 for 50c.....200 for 80c.....300 for $1.00.

One hundred or more delivered to any part of the city. Order by Post Card.

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RAGS WANTED.

WANTED—Clean Cotton Rags at 4c. per lb. at the Colonist office. mr8

GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC, Accountant & Agent, 48 LANGLEY ST.

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SPRING OPENING DAY AT THE WESTSIDE

TUESDAY, April 7th, 1891.

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THE WESTSIDE.

Appreciating the wisdom thus displayed by the ancient seer, and being fully convinced that we have the VERY NEWEST AND BEST DRESS GOODS that will be on sale in Victoria this Spring, we cordially invite an early inspection of the same.

DRESS PATTERNS (mostly one only of a kind) in beautiful NEW SHADES, and in almost endless variety of styles.

Mantles, Jackets, Capes, etc.

The variety in PRICE, STYLE and MATERIAL is too great to enumerate in detail. However, we probably show the most complete assortment in the city and all of this season's manufacture. We only keep reliable, well-made good-fitting goods, which are offered at very moderate prices.

Waterproofs, Dustwraps, etc., direct from the manufacturer.

Shawls and Rugs, suitable for tourists

Hosiery and Gloves of best makes, and a full assortment of New Spring Goods, specially imported with especial reference to the wants of our patrons.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

4 new houses, James Bay, each	$ 1,900
3 new houses, James Bay, $2,650, $3,750 &	3,150
Fine residence on Quadra St	5,500
First-class boarding house	10,500
New house, Fowl Bay Road	1,700
New house near Beacon Hill	4,300
Residence and 3 acres on the Gorge	10,000
Fine residence off Fort St	17,000
2 fine lots on Fort St., 120x120	6,500
17½ acres near Oak Bay Ave., per acre	800
5½ acres, Esquimalt Road, all cleared, per acre	1,250
4½ acres, Esquimalt Road, all cleared, per acre	1,800
4 acres, Saanich Road, per acre	2,000
50 acres water frontage on Esquimalt Harbor, per acre	400
214 acres at Saanich, per acre	6
300 acres at Metchosin, per acre	5
Fine lot on Yates St	5,000
2 lots on Pandora, 1 lot Johnson and fine residence	12,000
2 fine lots fronting Beacon Hill, each	1,400
Lots on Oak Bay Avenue $300 to	600
Lots, Burnside Road and Vicotria West	325
Lots, Fernwood Estate	500
Lots, James Bay and Fort St	800
Lots on Richmond Avenue	500
Fine corner, 125 feet, on Govt. St	4,000
32 lots, Govt. and Douglas Sts., for	40,000
Fine corner on Douglas St	20,000

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THE NEW

JAPANESE STORE

Just received, a large shipment of goods DIRECT FROM JAPAN, and we are now able to offer to the public the finest lot of Japanese Curios in Victoria. Give us a call and be convinced. As this is the first genuine Japanese Store established in Victoria, we would kindly solicit the patronage of the public. Give us a call and see what we have.

Respectfully yours,

"ROKUBAN," NEW JAPANESE STORE, 150 Government St., near Johnson.
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FOR SALE.

House and Lot, Yates St	$5,000
House and 2 Lots, View St	5,500
House and 1 Lot, Craigflower	550
House and ¾ acre, Saanich Road	950
2 Lots, Simcoe St., each	950
2 Lots, Hillside Ave	1,700
½ Acre, Cloverdale	550
2 Acres, James Bay, per acre	6,000
Lots, Belton Ave	475
Lots, Powderly Ave	400
Lots, Craigflower Road	300

Also other Snaps too numerous to mention.

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SPLIT Cedar Fence Posts, in large or small quantities. Leave orders at Scotch Bakery, 152 Douglas str et. fe20-3m

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